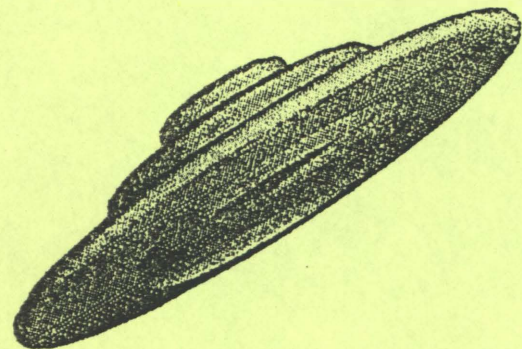
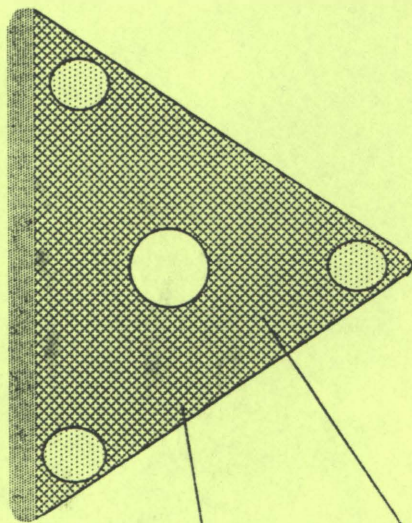
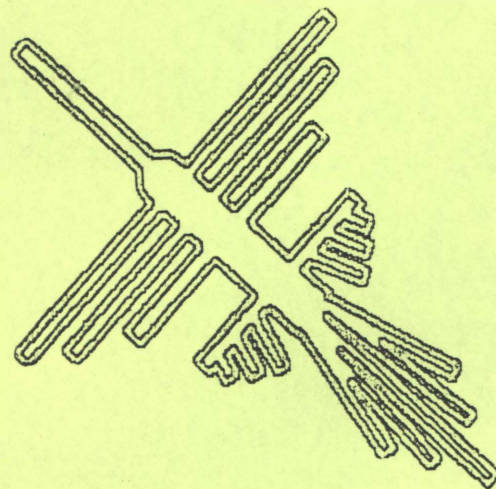
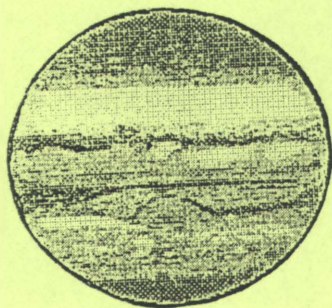


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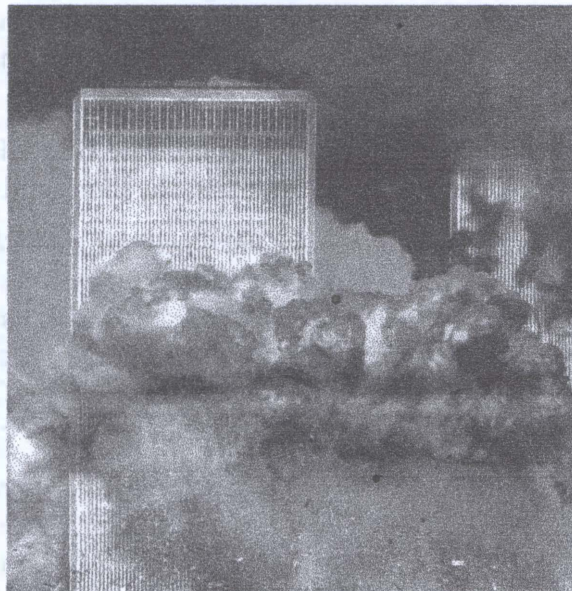
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**"YOU HAVE MORE TO FEAR FROM YOUR FELLOW-MAN,
THAN YOU HAVE THE ALIENS!"**

Professor John E. Mack, speaking on 28th August 1995



A MESSAGE FROM THE U.S.A.

Subj: Fw: Stay centered!
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To: Undisclosed-Recipient:,,

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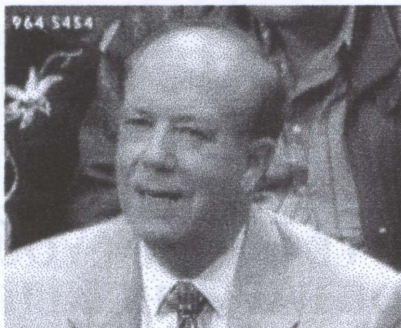
In spite of the horrendous bombings and tragedies occurring in New York City, Washington DC and Pittsburg, Philadelphia today, try to keep your center. Go within to your heart chakra and visualize peace in spite of the apparent reality. Stand back and look at this from a distance and don't get into the emotional turmoil, hatred, blame and anger that will be a result of these horrible acts. Center yourself in peace, visualize peace, breath deeply, try to keep your center.....it is the only thing we can do for now. Keep informed, be aware, center yourself, center yourself. Bless those that are suffering in the midst of the chaos, surround them with a blue light of peace and protection, surround our loved ones as well, no matter where they may be, stay centered. Send your prayers, love and compassion to those who are in need.

Love & Light,

Susan

CAN THIS BE THE END OF OUR WORLD AS WE KNOW IT?

By Omar Fowler



When I heard the prophetic words of Dr. John E. Mack during his meeting with the Directors of the Flying Saucer Review magazine at Claridges Hotel, London in 1995 (*"You have more to fear from your fellow-man, than you have the Aliens"*), I could never in my worst nightmare have imagined just how much we had to fear from our 'fellow-man'!

For many years contactee's have been passing on warnings from **"The Guardians"** about Man's behaviour on Earth. How we are destroying our unique planet, the animals, the fauna and ultimately ourselves.

We* have been told that **"The Guardians of Planets have been watching Earth since 12BC"**. How *"Man's development up to the early 19th Century was almost nil"*. Then *"Key people were located on Earth in the early 1900's"*, but our *"Development has been restricted to 50%"* (of its potential), because we are **"Warlike, which will not be tolerated."** Then in the final part of the message, we were told that we were *"Still divided on the idea of one 'Supreme' ruler"* (throughout the Universe- God?) and how we cannot be given full co-operation, but *"Will only be allowed to develop at 50%"* (of our capabilities).

***This Alien message was written 'automatically' by contactee Dave Mc Murray, after an Alien encounter in September 1985.**

It is no wonder that we as a human race are ignored. When the sceptics ask *"Why don't they land on the Whitehouse lawn, or at Buckingham Palace"*. After watching our planet for centuries, would you?

The Nuclear Physicist Stanton T. Friedman has on many occasions referred to the human race as being intent on *"Tribal Warfare"*. This is a fact and something that it seems will not be overcome for many generations. There is an infinite lack of 'Spiritual' understanding and tolerance on the planet. We are faced with an intolerance to people of different colour, religion and beliefs.

Far from becoming a united 'family of man', we are becoming disintegrated not only, throughout the World but in the United Kingdom. We appear to be going in the completely opposite direction to 'unity' and are becoming more diverse throughout the country.

Have you seen sight of young Palestinian children on TV, happily holding up pictures of their older relations who have sacrificed themselves as 'suicide bombers', then smilingly stating that they too, want to become a 'suicide bomber' when they grow up? What hope can we have for the future?

It seems that humanity may be the result of an Alien biological experiment that 'went wrong'. We could have been the product of a DNA engineered cross between Alien genes (*"Man was made in God's image"*) and an Earthly creature. Whatever happened, I think there is no alternative but for the Aliens to bide there time until we have wiped ourselves out and then to start again!

(They may not have long to wait, take a look at page 12!).

WORLD UFO REPORTS

CARTERET, NEW JERSEY

A series of strange extraordinary lights were seen flying over Carteret only 10 miles from downtown Manhattan on Sunday morning July 15, 2001. This sighting has created a great deal of interest in the news media and the local population. Peter Davenport at the U.S. National UFO Reporting Center received at least fifteen reports concerning the sighting. The story was carried on CNN, MSNBC, ABC New Jersey 101.5 FM and many other stations. The object flew about a five miles south of Newark Airport around 12:30 AM. Witnesses reported seeing a cluster of lights estimated between 15 to 30 amber, gold and orange lights hovering and moving slowly at an estimated 10mph. Many witnesses were traveling on the New Jersey Turnpike when they noticed the lights above them, an estimated 75 cars stopped on side of the highway. Many of their occupants stood outside their vehicles watching the formation of lights. This is a twelve lane lighted highway and the light pollution creates difficult viewing. Six policemen and hundreds of witnesses viewed the huge UFO or objects. After an initial investigation, witnesses agreed that a very large object was flying at about 10 to 20 mph, described variously as a V, U, or M formation. The light formation appeared different to various witnesses. Some people claimed to have seen 30 white lights; some claim they were only able to view a dozen lights. Those in darker locations described the lights as white; others called them amber or gold. About ten lights stayed lit continuously and at least a half dozen others brightened and dimmed in unison. The witnesses claimed the lights stayed in the same relative position as they moved slowly across the sky towards the southeast. Some people claimed the lights appeared to fall or climb just before going out.

A basic examination of the videotape taken off the news channel was made. An in-depth analysis of the videotape is needed. The sound bite from the video was interesting in that you could hear a woman's voice say, "Isn't it amazing!" this lends credibility to the video. In recent days many of the witnesses were whisked off in limousines to appear on various news shows. Some were paid for their videos and photos making it difficult for our research until things quiet down.

Peter Davenport appeared on MS NBC and discussed the sighting. "I thought it was significant that the host commented that the station gets numerous UFO reports every day and they could spend all their time covering UFO reports, but this one was special". Eyewitness Joe Malvasio said, "It was one of the most amazing things I've ever seen. They were just hovering, and then they just disappeared. One at a time, each one started to fade until they were gone." The descriptions and video are similar to the Phoenix Lights, where a similar V formation appeared in March of 1997. Another similar sighting was reported over Rockford, Illinois on March 18, 2001

Mr. Davenport stated: "I drove several hours to Carteret to interview a Ukrainian Priest, Right Reverend Father Chubenko on July 17, 2001. He's is probably the strongest witness because of his location at a relatively dark observation point next to the rectory on Roosevelt Road. He is extremely intelligent, an excellent witness, an electrical engineer, and a pilot. He was adamant that the lights were not flares. He has flown over the area on a regular basis and felt the lights were at 3,000 feet altitude. He estimated the lights covered a 1000-foot of air space. His son Greg Chubenko was driving in Carteret, when he spotted the UFO and phoned his father whom was in bed. Father Chubenko went

outside to observe and immediately spotted 15 or more lights flying over the Rectory. Father Chubenko indicated, that an apparent craft flew overhead, although he did not see a structure, only lights. He watched the lights very closely for about 10 minutes. The lights were completely synchronized and brightened and dimmed in unison. There was emission from the light like a candle droppings, as the lights would descend before shutting off. Almost all witnesses claim these were not flares, candles in bags etc. The lights were similar to glowing stars, but not shining in any particular direction.

CARTERET

Peter Davenport also stated: "On Sunday, July 15, 2001, this UFO incident may have lasted for 35 to 40 minutes, from 0010 to 0050 hours. The lights may have been visible from as far away as 10 to 40 miles. An immense flash that illuminated the New Jersey turnpike, and which reportedly occurred simultaneously to the appearance of a triangular shaped craft over Sayreville, NJ reportedly preceded the lights. Sightings of strange craft were reported from as far away as Ontario, Canada, and Virginia just minutes before the event. Witnesses reported seeing multiple lights in triangular formations and one disc-shaped object was reported from the south shore of Long Island, New York

DUNDEE, WISCONSIN

UFO sightings took place on July 21, 2001, about 9:40 PM when a group from Benson's Hideaway Restaurant located on Long Lake again saw UFOs. Both sightings were observed by a multiple group of UFO buffs. A light then came from the south end of the lake next to Dundee Mountain. It was about the size of a quarter held at arm's length. It looked like it was lower than Dundee Mountain and just a little higher than the trees. The light was a golden color and had golden lights shooting out from the edges. As it moved along the Eastern Shore of the lake it made little jumps almost straight up in the air and then continued on its original path. The light continued to the north end of the lake where we were, at this point someone yelled, "there's another one". It came north along the western edge of the lake and it too, shot up almost straight in the air a couple of times. This one did something different though. It blew up to a white light (often seen with the Gulf Breeze UFO's) which was much bigger than the golden light, at least four times bigger. It then dropped two lights like the sparkles that drop from sparklers. It moved directly across from us, while the first light moved northwest and disappeared.

Bonnie Meyer reports, "I believe that it left the atmosphere so fast that it only looked as if the light went out." A third golden light came from the same area and was coming towards us slowly. When it got about half way down the lake the second one started to move off, they stayed about the same distance apart and moved off. A few minutes later another light appeared and it came almost the length of the lake. As it got closer to us, it turned west and settled almost stationary in the southwest staying there for a long time. It seemed to become three separate lights, one bluish green, one orange/red and the other white. They seemed to be playing tag, running circles around each other and zigzagging with each other. Then there was a slight popping sound and two lights dropped from the underside of the center light. One of the lights took off in a northwest direction and was out of sight within a minute or two. The greenish blue light stayed in the area and was still there when I left at about 12:30 A.M. When I talked to people the next day they said the light was still there at 2:00 A.M. Thanks to Bonnie Meyer and Jim Aho of Lightside.

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A 'Flying Triangle' Case From Australia.

With thanks to Judith McGhee of INUFOR.

This report is taken from the 'Gosford Files' and refers to an incident that took place at Harbord (a northern Sydney suburb, just south of the Central Coast) on **11th April 1996**.

Paul Cox, a scientific consultant, was fishing from a Harbord headland on Thursday evening 11 April 1996.

At about 1045pm, he noticed a bright golden light coming from the eastern horizon over the sea. At first he thought it was a plane coming into land.

The light grew bigger as the craft came nearer to the coast. By the time it was about two or three kilometres away, it appeared as a golden light, half the size of the Moon and it emitted many rays. Paul still assumed that it was a jet coming in to land at Sydney Airport.

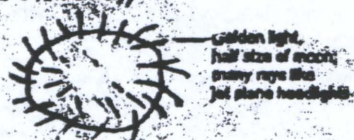
As he watched it, he noticed a small bright red light just behind it. The object was travelling in a steady, straight path between 200 and 300 kilometres per hour and passed directly overhead.

He looked up and felt paralysed with fright! From underneath it looked very large and formidable, like something he had seen before. It was dark in colour and shaped like an equilateral triangle, pointed in the front and 20 to 30 metres in width at the back. He noticed a faint sound, similar to that of a jet, like a DC10 but not as loud. It was unusually quiet.

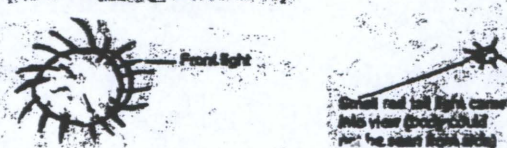
He watched it as it continued westward over the land. From the rear he could see the red tail-light and two hazy white lights with rectangular surrounds. These rear lights were not very bright and gave the impression of a cool, white fluorescent light. After it had travelled inland a little way, it appeared to slow and hover and change direction towards the Hawkesbury area, south of Gosford.

(Mr Cox's drawings are shown below)

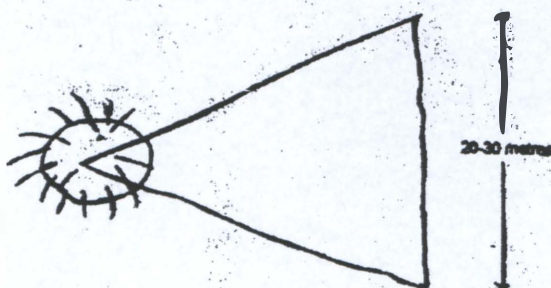
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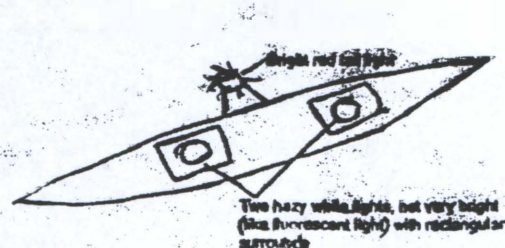
Side-on view (1-2 km away)



View from below



Rear view



been mentioned by his Alien encounters!

ANOTHER 'HINCKLEY' FT REPORT (1979)

Researched by Colin Saunders (PRA)

Colin Saunders recently came across a witness who encountered a 'Flying Triangle' near Hinckley, Leics. The witness was vague about the date, putting it no closer than 1979/80, but his recollection of the encounter remains clear. Colin (also the subject of a FT encounter in 1999), interviewed the witness a Mr Keith Smith and his account of the sighting is given below.

I was travelling from Nuneaton (Franklin Road) to Hinckley (Factory Road) on my motorcycle at around 10.45pm - 11.00pm, when I saw what I thought to be a bright star. But the star caught my attention and made me feel a little uneasy, because it seemed way too low, too bright and also oversized compared to the other stars on that night. It also seemed to stay in my view for threequarters of my journey home.

Upon reaching Coventry Road (Hinckley), I remember the star was positioned on my right hand side and slightly behind me i.e. over my right-hand shoulder.

I slowed down and took a look (at the object), I saw two much smaller lights, one red and one white, both in the area of the 'bright star', but travelling away quite fast from the star.

I turned back to look at the road and turned again in the direction of the star, but the two small lights had gone, leaving the bright star on its own.

I continued along the Coventry Road, whereupon reaching the site area of Hall & Sons, I saw a very large dark triangle shaped object appear, flying from my left.

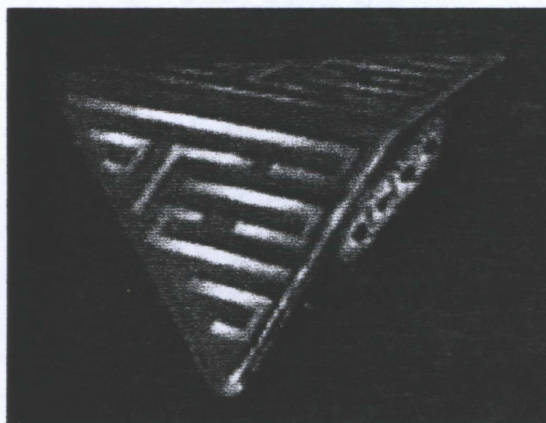
I pulled up and stood astride my motorcycle to take a look at the object, which came directly overhead and then went away from me to my right, travelling towards the direction of the town centre. It ended up at a position which I believed to be around lower Bond Street near the Atkins Building, where I lost sight of the object.

The Triangle object was massive, it was the size of 1 1/2 football pitches and flew completely silently at a height of no more than 100ft. It was all black except an illuminated area underside which looked to have a sort of framework around it, like a cockpit window. The object was flying at 15-20mph and remained in view for around one to two minutes.

I then continued on my journey home and packed my bike away. When I got in I noticed that my bedroom clock said, it was after 1am. I thought the time must be wrong so I woke my parents up to tell them what I had seen and to confirm the time was correct, which it was.

Keith Smith described the size of the object as being "the size of a dustbin lid at arms length!"

According to his bedroom clock, he had 'lost' 1 to 1 1/2 hours in time!



Picture of the FT model made by Colin Saunders and featured on 'Central Weekend Live' 31-8-01

Propulsion Technology - A Simple Approach

By Dr. Paul Usher

At present we are investigating a variety of methods to power craft into space. We have liquid fuel rockets, solid chemical rockets, ion engines, hydrogen fuelled jet engines and even laser propulsion.

The development of an 'Ion Engine' for spacecraft has been under development for a number of years, one of the main drawbacks being that an Ion engine produces a thrust of only a few grams. However, NASA have now developed and fitted an Ion engine to a space probe. The thrust is continual and over time the speed of the spacecraft will increase faster and faster. As yet we have nothing that is close to an ideal source of power for extraterrestrial travel.

Apart from rocket propulsion of various types, there is another energy form that has been a source of great interest for many years and that is Gyroscopic energy. This is the mysterious power developed when a weight is rotated, such as a flywheel for instance.

Many people are familiar with toy gyroscopes and have been amazed at their ability to balance on a tiny point and defy gravity. Just try and move it, or change its direction and you will discover a counter force that has built up as the gyroscope rotates.

I once saw a university lecturer demonstrate that a 100lb weight with a 5 foot spindle could be lifted up easily with one hand right overhead, that is as long as the weight is spun at some 500rpm. Once stationary it could not be lifted! How could it weigh so little, just because of its spinning motion? Actually the weight remains the same! The task of the students was to provide a theory and explanation. There are many theories but actually, it still cannot be fully understood or explained.

In another experiment carried out in the 1970's a group of three gyroscopes on a metal frame were spun together and then the frame itself was spun, all configured to maximise and vector thrust....It worked! The whole assembly rose a few inches, proving that it had produced more than its own weight in thrust. I believe the total weight of the prototype unit was around 50lb. and in some way, the inputted rotational energy was used as vectored thrust, the stored energy being greater than the mass.

If this form of energy, say 50lb of continual thrust, could be transferred to a vehicle in space, it would be whizzing away in no time at all!

If only this energy source could be refined and perfected! We have known of this technology for some time. We could have a craft that was silent, could hover and do incredible things, it could be all so simple. No need for antimatter, warp drives hyperspace jump engines. Just spin your gyros and away you go, with the possibility a using the continual thrust to achieve the speed of light...eventually! The technology is out there.

BOG BREATH

Yes bogs do breathe, albeit rather their surfaces is a poorly under-

Extract: The surface of the bogs in Minnesota may rise and fall by as much as 36cm. in a single day. This phenomenon, known as 'bog breathing' attributed to changes in water storage manifestation of the accumulation of peat deposits.



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and fens in northeastern Minnesota as 36cm. in a single day. This phenomenon 'bog breathing' has been traditionally attributed to the surface and release of greenhouse gases in

Spontaneously igniting, biogenic gases are found in many marshy places. These eruptions were observed in an English mud flat in 1902 (Science Frontiers Jul-Aug 2000)

ANOTHER EARLY RADAR REPORT

It makes you wonder just how many stories remain untold!

As the result of yet another listener phoning in to BBC Radio Derby, during Omar Fowler's monthly UFO 'phone in', another early radar report has come to light.

'Ted', an ex-RAF Radar operator, had been listening with interest to the radio programme on Tuesday 7th August. It had been a busy time, with a number of UFO witnesses telephoning in to discuss their sightings.

'John' had phoned in and related how he had been videoing unidentified lights near his home at Trowell, near Ilkeston, Derbyshire. (See last months OVNI). Omar Fowler subsequently visited John and viewed a selection of the videos. Unfortunately, John was somewhat inexperienced in using his camera and had filmed the lights entirely on an 'automatic' setting. This meant that during the whole time, the camera lens had been moving back and forth trying to focus on the light source. The result was a throbbing light that was barely in focus at any one time. However, something has been visiting the area, as the light appeared in an area where past UFO activity has been witnessed. (The investigation continues).

'Kenneth' at Woodville, phoned in to report a bright light seen slowly rising over the woods in the direction of Ashby-de-la-Zouch (Easterly). He timed it as first being seen on July 26th at 3.30am and then he viewed it again at about 5am, as it had hardly moved. The answer on air, was that it was probably Venus and a later computer check using 'Skyglobe', showed that this was indeed the case.

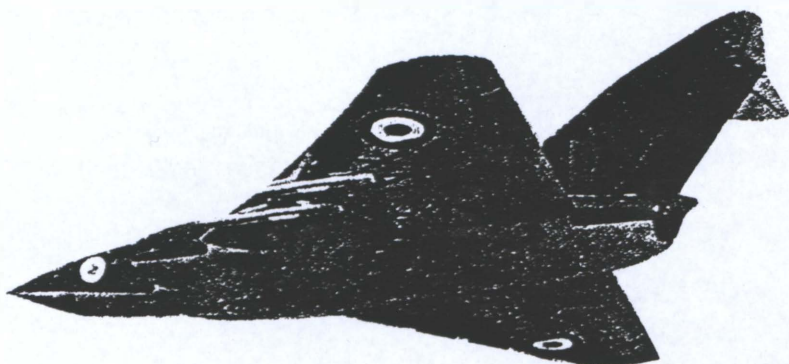
But to return to story told by the ex-RAF Radar operator 'Ted', (who lives in Mackworth). Ted related the following incident:-

"It was during a period between 1953/54 during my service in the RAF when I was serving as a Radar plotter at a base near Sandwich in south-east Kent."

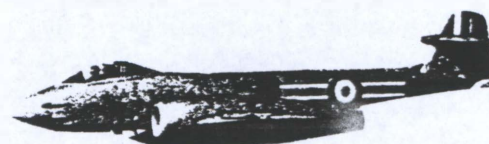
"It was my job to keep the consuls tuned and in good operating order. During my watch, I saw an unidentified 'bogey' approaching from the direction of the French coast. We were using a type 13 'nodding horror' scanning unit, which detected the height at which the object was approaching. The Radar consul showed that the craft was at 40,000ft and that it was travelling at an approach speed of 2,000mph!"

"We followed it as it passed over the coast and headed towards London. It passed over London and then changing course to the NE, we followed it as it headed out over the North Sea, until it was out of range. During this time, there had been some excitement, as the speed of the object was far in excess of anything that we had flying at the time." (e.g. Gloster Meteor & Javelin 620mph max.) "A group of people had gathered around the Radar consul and watched the unfolding event with great interest. None of us knew what it was or had any idea what it could be.....It was shortly afterwards that we were told: **This didn't happen...Don't say anything!**"

NB. *Bob Dean (NATO HQ) has often mentioned that UFO's were tracked out over the North Sea.*



Gloster Javelin twin-jet delta-winged fighter



Gloster Meteor , the first RAF jet fighter

You Can't Keep A good Man down!

Our friend and colleague Anthony James is back in action! Anthony, who founded the East Midland UFO Research Association (1990-98), has now launched a UFO News page on the internet. Details are given below.

We have arranged to be kept up to date with events and we wish Anthony James every success with his new venture. Details for internet users are shown below.

Subj:	ufo news uk
Date:	08/09/01 05:46:53 GMT Daylight Time
From:	AJames@emufora.freemove.co.uk (Anthony James)
To:	AJames@emufora.freemove.co.uk (Anthony James)

UFO NEWS UK

As you now know, UFO News is up and running. Two Nottingham newspapers have publicised the news recently, resulting in many more subscriptions, ALL FREE to who ever's interested. I now have subscribers from Finland, Italy, Australia, Canada, USA and the UK. If you have subscribed from a country that's not mentioned, please let me know. Also, please feel free to send this message and/or the UFO NEWS UK newsletter to anyone in your address book.

Please feel free to send in comments, articles, picture's, news, sightings etc.

I thank you all and hope that you find the newsletter interesting.

Kind Regards

Anthony

If this has been forwarded to you, but you would like to receive UFO News UK direct, please e-mail me at AJames@emufora.freemove.co.uk with your name and e-mail address.

The Press Release.

A new UFO Information and reporting centre has been launched in Nottingham. The centre will help with inquiries regarding UFO's and accept UFO reports over the Internet. Anthony James, who founded the East Midlands UFO Research Association (EMUFORA) which ran from 1990 to 1998, is behind the project.

Mr James stated that since EMUFORA was disbanded, he has received many enquiries and reports each year which have just been filed away. The reason for the UFO Reporting Centre is to publish an 'on-line' newsletter of sightings and other UFO connected subjects, which will be sent to anyone who wants to be on the mailing list. The first on-line newsletter was sent out on the 28th August as E-mail, and is called 'UFO News UK'. The newsletter will be sent out every other week

Mr James stated: "This is strictly an E-mail newsletter and all reports should be reported in good faith. I won't be going out and interviewing people or holding meetings for the public like we did with EMUFORA". Any one who would like to receive the newsletter can E-mail Mr James with their name and E-mail address to AJames@emufora.freemove.co.uk

Anthony James

Please feel free to send this message to anyone who you feel might be interested.

PRESS RELEASE

4th September 2001

U.F.O Abduction Cases in Britain Top 20,000

Over 20,000 people in Great Britain have reported having a U.F.O. abduction experience in recent years. Graham & Dot Raine, U.F.O. researchers from Ascot, Berkshire have been gathering information from U.F.O. & Paranormal research groups, notably the Manchester Association of Paranormal Investigators & Training (M.A.P.I.T), a most respected organisation in the field of Paranormal studies.

Mr Stephen Mera of M.A.P.I.T also estimates that as many as **180,000 people have had a U.F.O. related abduction experience**, but have been too frightened to report it for fear of ridicule. Graham, 54, who first got involved in U.F.O.s in the 1970's, with Omar Fowler, (founder member of the Surrey Investigation Group on Aerial Phenomena and one of the most experienced ufologists of recent years), wants to hear from as many of these abductees as possible to further his study of the phenomenon.

"Many of these abductees must feel totally trapped," said Graham, "they know something has happened to them, but they often don't know exactly what, or who they can talk to about it. Anyone who has had such an experience can contact us in strictest confidence".

On May 9th 2001, the 'Disclosure Project', started in 1993, went public for the first time at a press conference held at the National Press Club in Washington D.C. More than twenty military, intelligence, government corporate and scientific witnesses came forward in public and told of their work involving U.F.O. sightings, extraterrestrial vehicles and life forms. One witness, Sergeant Clifford Stone, U.S. Army, had taken part in the **recovery of crashed alien craft & bodies** as far back as 1969. He stated that they logged 57 different types of alien creatures **including those that we now call the 'Greys'**, the most common type of alien connected with U.F.O. abductions.

These, and many more such witnesses, are prepared to give evidence, under oath to the American Senate, as to what they have seen and done in connection with U.F.O.'s. while working for the American Government. Until now everything has been kept secret, with only stories & rumours leaking out. **All that is about to change.**

Graham & Dot have produced a fact sheet on "U.F.O. Abductions – What You Should Know". FREE copies are available from them by 'phoning 01344 627821 (24 hours), or emailing to uksentinel@aol.com.

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Press Enquiries to: Graham & Dot Raine. Work 01344 890909 – Home 01344 291299

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A DOOMSDAY WARNING?

(With contributions from Walter Berg and the Sciencenet Org.)

Who knows what nature has in store for us, but first of all...Don't Panic! What we are about to discuss is the possibility of a comet hitting the Earth on August 14th 2126.

It was Schiaparelli's insight that led to our modern understanding of meteoric particles as debris shed by comets. Comet Swift-Tuttle returned in 1992 to produce spectacular meteor showers. Swift-Tuttle will return again in 2126 and produce the most amazing meteor shower ever. Some astronomers believe that the comet is on a collision with Earth and due to impact on August 14th 2126!

The first person to raise the alarm was leading British astronomer Brian Marsden, director of the Smithsonian Observatory in Cambridge, Massachusetts. He calculated in 1992 that the comet would reappear and collide with the Earth in 2126. The comet is at least as big as the one that is believed to have killed the dinosaurs. Marsden's low key warning was that a change in Swift-Tuttle's orbit of just 15 days could cause the comet to hit the Earth. This was the first 'doomsday alert' put out by the International Astronomical Union.

In 1992 the comet Swift-Tuttle arrived 15 days late, showing that predictions of comets can be an imprecise matter, as they are affected by their tail-energy as well as the force of gravity. The astronomer Walter Berg described this event in detail in his book 'Voice of the Heavens', published in Japan in 1996.

There is however another disturbing feature of the 'Doomsday Prediction', it is the warning predicted in the 'Bible Code'. This is a code that has been discovered by Biblical Scholars using computer analysis of the words, sentences and chapters in the Bible. In a best selling book called 'The Bible Code' (1997), the author Michael Drosnin drew attention to the many statements that he claimed had been decoded from the Bible. There were events foretold, including the claim that a comet would collide with the Earth in 2126. Indeed the main theme of the 'Bible Code' is the collision of Swift-Tuttle with the Earth!

This amazing news does not appear to have been picked up by the media and although it does not concern us directly, it will most certainly be of great interest to our descendants in a few years time.

There have been large discrepancies in predicting the motion of this comet and in early December of 1992 it was becoming increasingly obvious that the calculations by Brian Marsden and Donald K. Yeomans which attempted to fit the 1862 and 1992 observations were becoming increasingly further off the mark.

However according to the Physics & Astronomy webpage of 'ScienceNet', "A lot of work has been done on the future close encounters of this comet with the Earth, especially since a preliminary orbit in 1992 gave an uncomfortably close value. There is nothing to worry about during the next encounter in August 2126, but September 4479 is the one to watch!"



Swift-Tuttle
(Could the Bible Code be wrong?)

The Evening Sky

September 2001

Mars, glowing fiery orange is at its highest in the southern sky as dusk descends and will remain there throughout autumn and into winter.

Saturn rises around midnight followed by the much brighter Jupiter two hours later. Venus, the brightest planet of all climbs above the horizon to shine just before pre-dawn twilight and on until sunrise.

Full Moon occurs on September 2nd. Our relationship with the Moon has always been profound and intimate. The mystical Moon held sway over our ancestors with her magical and eternal beauty. Her dark face and changing moods plagued our forbears with doubt and foreboding while her shimmering light brought enchantment, happiness and romance. The Moon's influence is great and her movements touch every aspect of our lives and our environment. Never underestimate the power of the Moon.

I particularly enjoy this time of year. The nights are cooler and dark enough for observing the heavens. The days are warm and the sunlight magical. I spend a couple of nights out under the stars but I always walk for an hour each evening as darkness falls. Looking skyward we see the Summer Triangle is just as much an autumn triangle in that its long decline from zenith to the west occurs slowly. In reality, the Triangle consists of three

bright stars from different constellations: Deneb, in Cygnus; Vega, in Lyra and Altair, in Aquila. The other bright star to look out for is Arcturus.

At this time of year, birds begin their annual migration and the night sky is a hive of activity as large flocks appear silently above the horizon and locust-like, blot out the heavens for several minutes. I am occasionally startled by a sort of baying sound, as lines of geese produce silhouettes across a Silver Moon. After my walk I sit close to the fire at home. The longer evening hours mean I catch up on unfinished work while sipping homemade elder flower wine.

The autumnal equinox occurs on September 22nd when the Sun crosses both the celestial and terrestrial equators travelling south. This marks the start of autumn as it did with the Roman and Megalithic peoples who inhabited these islands years ago. The mediaeval Church Christianised this equinoctial time under the name of 'Michaelmas', the feast of the Archangel Michael.

To the pagan Celts it represented the Mabon Sabbat celebrated on a fixed calendar date, September 25th, The Celtic Harvest Home represented a lesser Sabbat and a low holiday. Good luck harvest figures called 'corn dollies' were made each year to thank the Earth and the Cosmos for their beneficence.

Enjoy Your Evening Sky!

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TALE ENDERS

JOAN AMOS, PRA member and a well known UFO researcher of many years experience, has died. Joan was also well known as a member of several groups based in the West Country. As the result of a fall, Joan spent her last years in the Beechfield Nursing Home at Yelverton in Devon. She was an active researcher and will be sadly missed.

SEVEN DISCS SEEN OVER DERBY. Sinfin, Derby, was the scene of some excitement during the evening of Friday 27th July. At about 7.30pm a man working beneath his car slowly pulled himself from under the car and lay looking up at the sky. He was amazed to see seven silver discs at high altitude, zig-zagging around each other. He called to several other witnesses, who stood and watched the performance for some minutes. Eventually the witnesses gave up their viewing, not because of the UFO's disappearance, but because of neck-ache! It is not known when the discs left the area.

IN CONVERSATION

(1) "I was flying out to the Greek Islands on holiday a few years ago and I happened to look out of the aircraft window. I was amazed to see a black triangular craft sillouhetted against the clouds below. I was a little shaken by what I had seen as it appeared to be so unusual. I glanced around the aircraft cabin, to see if anyone else had seen it, but nobody seemed to be peering out, apart from myself." *Ilkeston Witness.*

(2) "I was living in Cyprus at the time, with my husband who was a serviceman based on the island. It was quite late at night and I had driven from our home to drop my husband off at the base, as he was on duty that night. While driving back home, I passed through an isolated country region and there was no lighting anywhere, it was pitch black. Suddenly a glowing yellowy ball appeared alongside my car window, it was about the size of an orange. It just kept pace with me for a few minutes and then shot off! I have no idea what it was." *Derby witness.*

(3) "It was about twenty five years ago, when I was working at the Spondon power station. It was on a Friday night, when I went outside for a break. I saw a UFO hovering over the power station. After a short time it moved off and apparently hovered over another power station at Castle Donnington. I learnt later, that UFO's hovering over the power station was such a common experience, the workers were getting a bit blasé about it." *'John' BBC Radio Derby phone-in 7-8-01.*

SHORTER ODDS ON A CLOSE ENCOUNTER. What are the chances of U.S. President George W Bush meeting someone from space in the next year? Well, much more likely than they were seven years ago, at least according to bookmakers William Hill. They have shortened the odds offered to Derby punter Alan Cockayne from 10,000 to one to just 1,000 to one. *Source: Derby Evening telegraph July 11th 2001*

NEW ZEALAND INFO' We have now established contact with 'The Tauranga UFO Investigation Group in New Zealand. The Group Leader Mr Harvey L.Cooke is a UFO investigator of many years standing and we are looking forward to an interesting exchange of information.

SOUTHAMPTON GROUP'S 10th BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION, will take place at a meeting in the Peartree Church Hall, Southampton. 10am-3pm on Sat. 27th October. Guest Speaker: Mr **Timothy Good**.

NEXT PRA MEETING

Will take place at the Royal British Legion, Allenton, at 8pm on Tuesday 25th September.

There will be a report on the Quest International Conference (Leeds 22/23 Sept.)

Plus Topical UFO video material

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